# 16. Little Pee Dee River

(Marion and Horry Counties)

1. Problem plant species

Alligatorweed

2. Management objective

Reduce or remove alligatorweed infestation at public access points, the main river channel, and connecting lakes.

3. Selected control method

Renovate 3, Habitat

4. Area to which control is to be applied

50 acres of problematic plants throughout river

5. Rate of control agent to be applied

Renovate 3 - 0.5-0.75 gallons per acre.

Habitat - 2-3 pints per acre.

6. Method of application of control agent

Spray on surface of foliage with appropriate surfactant.

7. Timing and sequence of control application

Apply after plants are actively growing (May - Oct.).

8. Other control application specifications

None

9. Entity to apply control agent

Commercial applicator

10. Estimated cost of control operations

\$5,413

11. Potential sources of funding

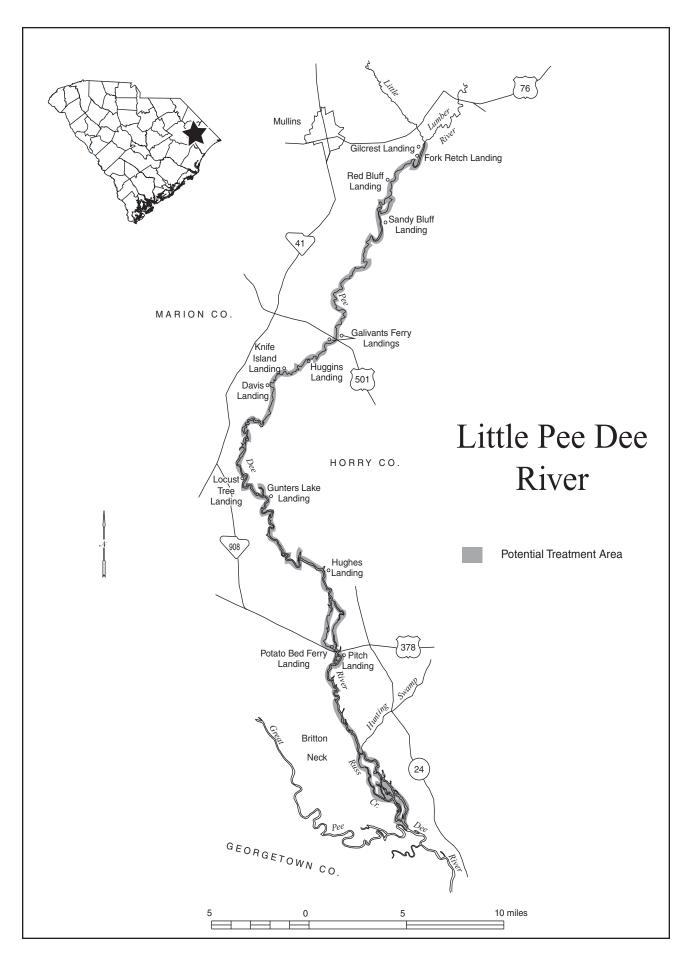
Horry and Marion Counties 50%

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 0%

S. C. Department of Natural Resources 50%

#### 12. Long term management strategy

- a. Manage the distribution and abundance of nuisance aquatic plant populations at levels that minimize adverse impacts to water use activities and the environment through the use of federal and state approved control methods.
- b. Maintain or enhance native aquatic plant populations at levels beneficial to water use, water quality, and fish and wildlife populations through selective control of nuisance plant populations where feasible, introduction of native plant species where appropriate, and public education of the benefits of aquatic vegetation in general.
- c. Seek to prevent further introduction and distribution of problem species through public education, posting signs at boat ramps, regular surveys of the water body, and enforcement of existing laws and regulations.
- d. Continue to coordinate treatment areas with local conservation groups and State Scenic Rivers Coordinator.



# 17. Lumber River

(Marion and Horry Counties)

1. Problem plant species

Alligatorweed

2. Management objective

Reduce or remove alligatorweed infestation at public access points, the main river channel, and connecting lakes.

3. Selected control method

Renovate 3, Habitat

4. Area to which control is to be applied

20 acres of problematic plants throughout river

5. Rate of control agent to be applied

Renovate 3 - 0.5-0.75 gallons per acre.

Habitat - 2-3 pints per acre.

6. Method of application of control agent

Spray on surface of foliage with appropriate surfactant.

7. Timing and sequence of control application

Apply after plants are actively growing (May - Oct.).

8. Other control application specifications

None

9. Entity to apply control agent

Commercial applicator

10. Estimated cost of control operations

\$2,165

11. Potential sources of funding

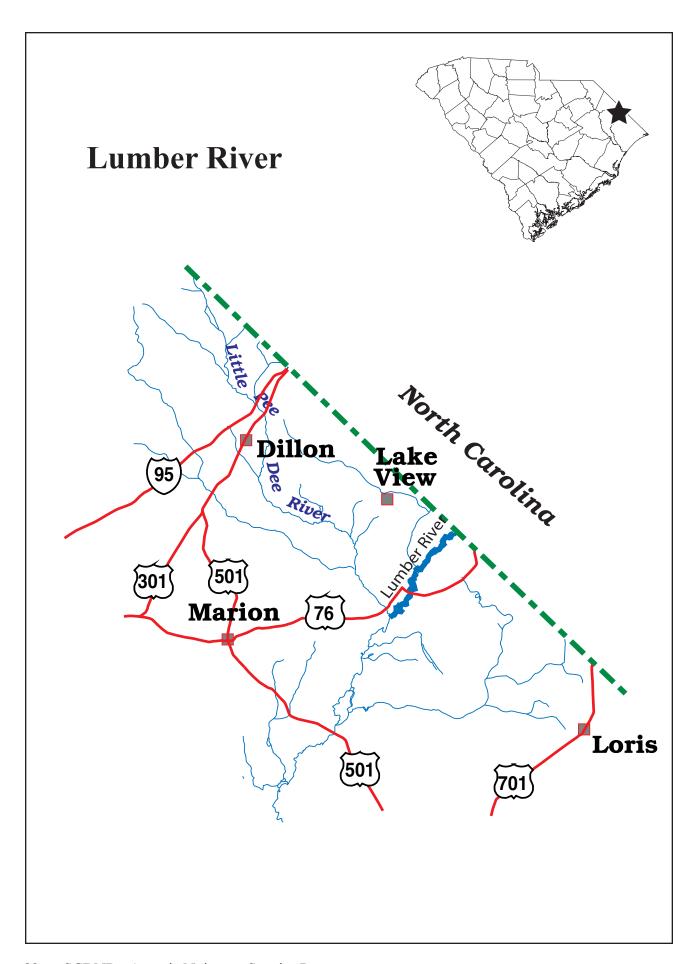
Horry and Marion Counties 50%

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 0%

S. C. Department of Natural Resources 50%

### 12. Long term management strategy

- a. Manage the distribution and abundance of nuisance aquatic plant populations at levels that minimize adverse impacts to water use activities and the environment through the use of federal and state approved control methods.
- b. Maintain or enhance native aquatic plant populations at levels beneficial to water use, water quality, and fish and wildlife populations through selective control of nuisance plant populations where feasible, introduction of native plant species where appropriate, and public education of the benefits of aquatic vegetation in general.
- c. Seek to prevent further introduction and distribution of problem species through public education, posting signs at boat ramps, regular surveys of the water body, and enforcement of existing laws and regulations.
- d. Continue to coordinate treatment areas with local conservation groups and State Scenic Rivers Coordinator.



## 18. Pee Dee River

(Georgetown County)

1. Problem plant species

Water hyacinth

Phragmites

2. Management objective

Through a comprehensive, multi-year approach; reduce water hyacinth and Phragmites populations to the greatest extent possible

3. Selected control method

<u>Problem Species</u> <u>Control Agents</u>

Water hyacinth Reward, Renovate 3

Phragmites Habitat

4. Area to which control is to be applied

75 acres of water hyacinth throughout river and adjacent public ricefields.

12 acres of phragmites in the Sandy Island area and Samworth WMA.

5. Rate of control agent to be applied

Reward - 0.5 gallons per acre.

Renovate 3 - 0.5 - 0.75 gallons per acre

Habitat - 2-3 pints per acre.

6. Method of application of control agent

Helicopter - 25 acres of reward applied to water hyacinth(Samworth 10 acres, Sandy Island Area 15 acres). 10 acres of Habitat applied to phragmites(Samworth 10 acres)

Other applications - Spray on surface of foliage with appropriate surfactant.

7. Timing and sequence of control application

Reward, Renovate 3 - to be applied periodically to water hyacinth from May through October.

Habitat - Apply when plants are actively growing.

8. Other control application specifications

None

9. Entity to apply control agent Commercial applicator

10. Estimated cost of control operations \$9,140

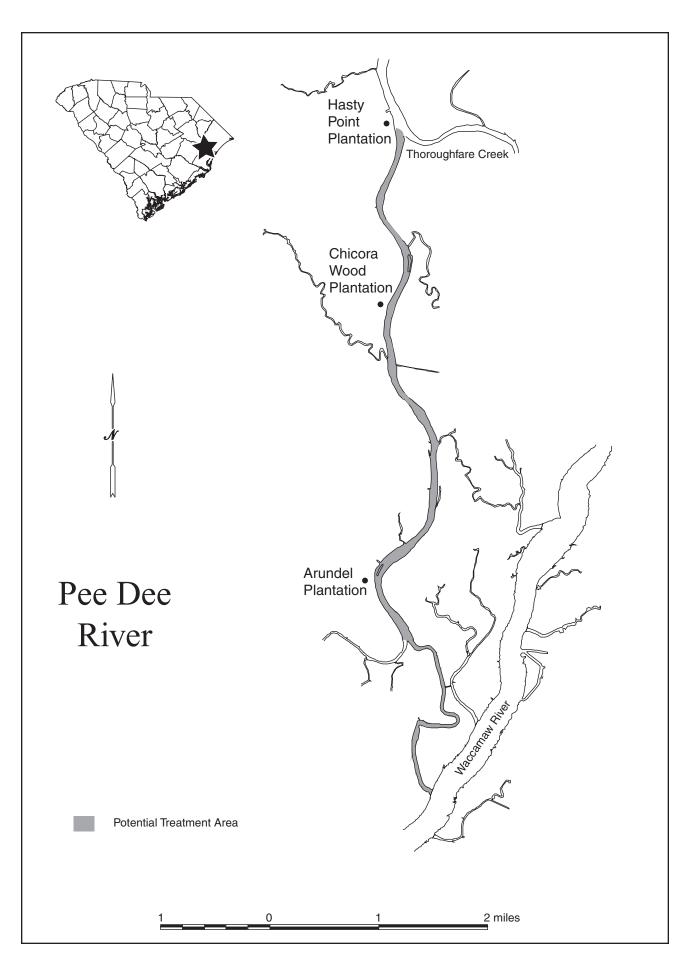
11. Potential sources of funding

Georgetown County 50%

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 0%

S. C. Department of Natural Resources 50%

- 12. Long term management strategy
  - a. Manage the distribution and abundance of nuisance aquatic plant populations at levels that minimize adverse impacts to water use activities and the environment through the use of federal and state approved control methods.
  - b. Maintain or enhance native aquatic plant populations at levels beneficial to water use, water quality, and fish and wildlife populations through selective control of nuisance plant populations where feasible, introduction of native plant species where appropriate, and public education of the benefits of aquatic vegetation in general.
  - c. Seek to prevent further introduction and distribution of problem species through public education, posting signs at boat ramps, regular surveys of the water body, and enforcement of existing laws and regulations.



## 19. Santee Coastal Reserve

(Charleston and Georgetown Counties)

1. Problem plant species

**Phragmites** 

2. Management objective

Through a comprehensive, multi-year approach; reduce Phragmites populations to the greatest extent possible throughout the Santee Coastal Reserve.

3. Selected control method

Habitat

4. Area to which control is to be applied

1200 acres of phragmites throughout the ricefields.

5. Rate of control agent to be applied

Habitat - 3-6 pints per acre.

6. Method of application of control agent

Spray on surface of foliage with appropriate surfactant.

7. Timing and sequence of control application

Habitat - Apply when plants are actively growing.

8. Other control application specifications

Application to be conducted by helicopter.

9. Entity to apply control agent

Commercial applicator

10. Estimated cost of control operations

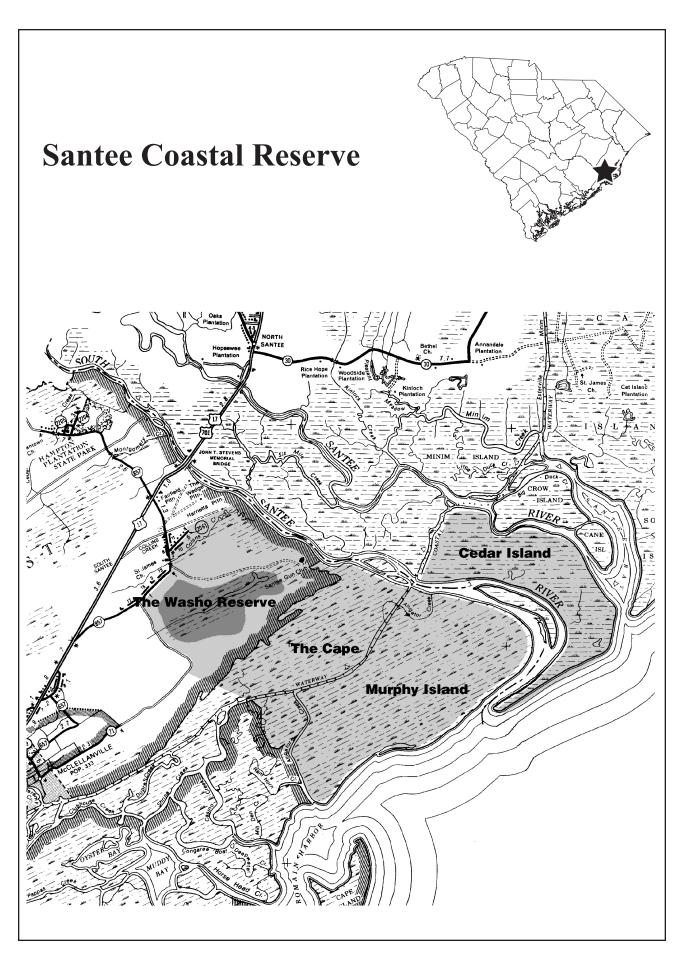
\$218,850

11. Potential sources of funding

Santee Coastal Reserve 50%

S. C. Department of Natural Resources 50%

12.	Long term management strategy			
12.	a.	Manage the distribution and abundance of nuisance aquatic plant populations at levels that minimize adverse impacts to water use activities and the environment through the use of federal and state approved control methods.		
	b.	Maintain or enhance native aquatic plant populations at levels beneficial to water use, water quality, and fish and wildlife populations through selective control of nuisance plant populations where feasible, introduction of native plant species where appropriate, and public education of the benefits of aquatic vegetation in general.		



# 20. Santee Delta WMA

(Georgetown County)

1. Problem plant species

Phragmites

2. Management objective

Through a comprehensive, multi-year approach; reduce Phragmites populations to the greatest extent possible.

3. Selected control method

Habitat

4. Area to which control is to be applied

30 acres of Phragmites throughout the ricefields.

5. Rate of control agent to be applied

Habitat - up to 4 pints per acre/up to 6 pints per acre.

6. Method of application of control agent

Spray on surface of foliage with appropriate surfactant.

7. Timing and sequence of control application

Habitat - Apply when plants are actively growing.

8. Other control application specifications

Application to be conducted by helicopter.

9. Entity to apply control agent

Commercial applicator

10. Estimated cost of control operations

\$5,471

11. Potential sources of funding

Santee Coastal Reserve 50%

S. C. Department of Natural Resources 50%

12.	Long term management strategy			
12.	a.	Manage the distribution and abundance of nuisance aquatic plant populations at levels that minimize adverse impacts to water use activities and the environment through the use of federal and state approved control methods.		
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